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Dear Dick,

I return herewith the Nix and Z slides, from Marcus and Six Seconds. I have kept the rear view from the Roffman photo, which I have ordered as a print. Somehow, it looks different than mine, perhaps from the lighting alone, and the angle. Thanks. I misunderstood you. I thought they were individual-frame slides. I have had Marcus' original work since toward the end of 1966.

Bud is due to come up today. Late morning, he said. I hope that for the first time he has allowed himself enough time. He must read the entire file of Archives corrrspondence, get copies of those he wants, preparatory to filing a suit. But his law business has been thriving, so he is pressed for time.

The (false) statements to Roffman in the Hoover letter on the weight and what I found in Frazier N.O. have been enough to presuade him to add to what we'll sue Justice for the spectro and all the records on the weight and weighing of 399. We can now account for 100% of the imputed missing weight without any fragmentation, and everyone involved had to have known it.

We are keeping it simple with Justice and avoiding exactly what John is suing for, even if he is going for what he knew I was. The spectro is the only duplication here. The other things are the Ray/England documents and the memo of transfer, SS-Kennedy. He will probably decide todar what we ask the SS for, although I had copied the entire file and give it to him. I do not think he examined it at all. As I believe I told you, I found they reacted to my pressures of long ago by giving the originals to the Archives, at least on some of the autopsy stuff. I have seen it and am getting color pictures (wow, oh boy!). I have what is new and important there but am not yet certain of its meaning. By which I mean I have not entirely eliminated some of the possibilities, none of which are not unfavorable to govt and integrity.

Roffman is only 16. He's very good for that age-any age, although wrong about some things. He is the only other person to examine the most meaningful angle of 399, for example. I'll help him all I can. I have forwarded leads on Harper to Gary, who I had already primed on this. He has read PM anyway.

Best.